



Principal Update:

The MS/HS 2nd quarter midterm grade check is today, Friday, November 14th.

Reminder:

*We will have school on Monday, November 24th.

*There will be a 2-hour early dismissal on Wednesday, November 26th.

*No school on Thursday, November 27th and Friday, November 28th.

Stanton Community Schools will be offering driver's education through Drive Right for the 2025-26 school year. Please use the link below or the Driver's Education link on our school website for more details.

<https://www.driverightiowa.com/fm-312766.html>

Teammates

Teammates Mentoring of Stanton is looking for additional mentors. If you would like to apply to become a mentor, you can find application information at www.teammates.org. If you have any questions regarding mentoring, please contact either Ashley McDonald or Katie Elwood at 712-829-2162.

A message from the nurse:

Did you know that it is proven that kids who consume breakfast test higher in math, spelling, and reading on standardized testing. Those who eat breakfast have better brain function, memory, and can pay attention better. Eat your Breakfast every morning!

As we head into the colder winter months, we want to remind students and parents/guardians of some winter awareness items in regard to riding the bus. Our drivers do their best to safely transport children to and from school on a warm bus, but that doesn't mean things won't happen. It is best to be prepared for what could happen. As Iowans, we know how important being properly prepared and dressed for the cold weather. Students should have appropriate weighted coats, boots, gloves and hats to keep them warm. Here are some additional reminders: Thank the bus drivers for getting up early to provide a warm, safe bus and a positive attitude for transporting students to and from school and events.

For parents and guardians

- **Visibility:** Ensure your child wears bright, visible clothing to be seen in early morning or late evening.
- **Bus stop safety:** Have your child wait for the bus away from the edge of the road, as the bus needs extra room to stop on icy surfaces. Keep children from playing in the snow or sliding on ice near the bus.
- **Vehicle safety:** When dropping off or picking up, keep car windows clear of frost and ice, and exercise extra caution in school zones and at bus stops.
- **Following the bus:** Do not follow the school bus too closely and never try to catch up to it at a different stop if your child misses it. If a child misses their bus, drive them to school or the next safe stop.

For students

- **Stay visible:** Wear bright clothing and stand back from the road at the bus stop.
- **Stay safe:** Don't play in the snow and stay away from the bus while waiting. Always use the handrails when boarding or exiting the bus.
- **Boarding and exiting:** Stay to the right of the bus and be mindful of your surroundings. Never run after the bus or walk between it and the curb after getting off.

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STUDENT OF THE WEEK



BRYNN CROSS

"Brynn is a good classmate and friend. She works hard and comes to school with a positive attitude."



STUDENT OF THE WEEK



CYSON WALKER

"I can always count on Cyson to be following along in class. He is respectful, attentive, and I can count on him to turn his work in done and on time."



Yearbooks have increased to \$60. Be sure to get yours ordered! Yearbooks make a GREAT Christmas gift, and the staff has gift certificates available. Contact Mrs. Carpenter at the school, order online through Jostens, or scan the QR code. Remember, with the purchase of a yearbook, the buyer has access to hundreds of digital photos as well.



Weight Room Highlight #3

This week's we are going to highlight a feat that was accomplished at the end of the 2024-2025 school year. For the first time in over 20 years of supervising the weight room, we had a JH athlete reach the 1000 Lb. Club!! Tristan Elwood had spent his entire JH career in the weight room before school. As a freshman this fall, he found himself being needed on the varsity football field on both sides of the ball! He was durable and tough enough to not only finish the season, but he made some fantastic plays. Consistency, discipline, and effort propelled him to ranks not every senior accomplishes before graduation. What is next for Tristan? You can bet he will continue the morning workouts in the weight room and he'll be fun to watch on the basketball court!

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Wednesday, Dec 10th
8:30am-2:30pm
Walk-in's Welcome!



What's Cookin'?

Monday, Nov 17th – NO SCHOOL

Tuesday, Nov 18th -Breakfast: Cereal, Fruit, Juice, Milk.

Lunch: Pork Chopette/Bun, Baked Beans, Ranch Potatoes, Apple Slices, Mixed Fruit, Milk.

Wednesday, Nov 19th -Breakfast: Dutch Waffle, Fruit, Juice, Milk. **Lunch:** Pizza, Lettuce, Carrots, Applesauce, Pears, Milk.

Thursday, Nov 20th- Breakfast: Mini Donuts, Fruit, Juice, Milk. **Lunch:** Turkey & Cheese Sandwich, Peas, Green Beans, Mixed Fruit, Oranges, Rice, Milk

Friday, Nov 21st - Breakfast- Strawberry Boli, Fruit, Juice, Milk. **Lunch-** Shrimp Poppers, String Cheese, French Fries, Mixed Fruit, Mixed Veggies, Peaches/Pineapple, Bug Bites, Milk

Upcoming Events

Fri., Nov 14	2 nd Quarter Midterm
Sat., Nov 15	6:30 School Musical @ The Wilson
Mon., Nov 17	No scheduled activities
Tues., Nov 18	NO SCHOOL
	4:15 JH BBB @ Stanton
	5:00 HS Girls Wrestling @ Clarinda
	7:00 HS CC Vocal @ EM
Wed., Nov 19	
Thur., Nov 20	4:00 JH BBB @ Bedford
	5:00 HS Girls Wrestling @ CAM

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